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The reply filed on Jun. 2, 2008 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): The restriction requirement dated May 1, 2008 specified that "The reply must also identify the claims readable on the elected species, including any claims subsequently added" (page 3, next to last paragraph). However, applicant has not identified a claim set readable on the elected species. Applicants merely state in which claim(s) the elected species (i.e. methyl methacrylate, methyl acrylate, acrylic acid, and butyl acetate) are recited. However all claims readable on these species are not specified. For instance, since claims 90 and 91 depend from claims 89, 88, 84, and 78, these claims also necessarily read on the elected species. A similar situation exists for claims 93, 94, 132, and 148.

Thus, the claim set upon which examination should properly proceed was unclear. Applicants are required to provide an accurate listing of the claims readable upon the elected species which will be examined further on the merits of the claims. Such clarification will facilitate future examination by ensuring that examination commences on the proper claim set.

See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be bona fide, applicant is given ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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